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PART I. SIGNIFICANT PHOTO INTERPRETATIONS

A. TRANSIENT TACTICAL TARGETS

ZZZ01:UNIDENTIFIED VESSEL SGM:11AF CTY:VN 174208N1062922E
AN UNIDENTIFIED VESSEL, PROBABLY AN AUXILIARY WATER/POL CARRIER (AOL/AWL), IS ANCHORED IN MIDSTREAM AT THE QUANG KHE TRANSSHIPMENT POINT AT UTM XE58077. THE SEQUENCE OF UPRIGHTS IS MMF AND THE LOA AND BEAM IS APPROXIMATELY [redacted] THE CONFIGURATION OF THE STACK AND THE RAKE OF THE BOW INDICATES THE VESSEL WAS CONSTRUCTED WITHIN THE LAST THREE YEARS, IS EITHER SOVIET BLOC OR CHICOM CONSTRUCTION, AND RESEMBLES THE KONDA-CLASS AOL, KHOBI-CLASS AOL, LEICHOU-CLASS AO, AND THE TAN LIN-CLASS AKL. THE VESSEL IS UNCODED BY ONI 36-IK (COMMUNIST BLOC MERCHANT SHIPS). 25X1

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B. NEW TARGETS AND SIGNIFICANT CHANGES - NONE

PART II. OTHER PHOTO INTERPRETATIONS - NONE
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